

IN THE UNITED STATES RECEIVING OFFICE

Applicant : Queveau et al.

Serial No. : 10/564,772

Filed : January 13, 2006

Confirmation No.: 1481

Title : VEHICLE WITH RETRACTABLE OPEN TOP AND METHOD FOR STOWING
SAME, WITH A HORIZONTAL TILTING SYSTEM

MAIL STOP PCT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed May 2, 2006 (copy enclosed), Applicant as a large entity submits herewith the following:

- Payment of the basic filing fee of \$0;
- Payment of the additional/multiple dependent claims fees of \$0;
- Payment of the surcharge of \$130 for late filing of the basic filing fee and/or declaration.
- A check in the total amount of \$130 is attached.
- A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status;
- A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63;
- A verified English translation of the application and payment of the \$0 fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(k); and
- Other:

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees

are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

07/05/2006 ATRAN1 00000167 10564772

01 FC:1617

130.00 0P

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EXPRESS MAIL

Express Mail Label No. EV 622714447 US

June 28, 2006

Date of Deposit

Applicant : Queveau et al.
Serial No. : 10/564,772
Filed : January 13, 2006
Page : 2 of 2

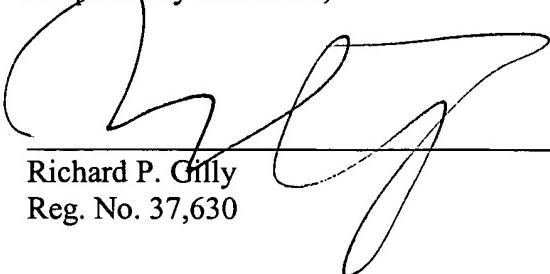
Attorney's Docket No.: 20233-004US1 / RVL/BR
61509 US 0616

Date: June 28, 2006

Fish & Richardson P.C.
P.O. Box 1022
Minneapolis, MN 55440-1022
Telephone: (302) 652-5070
Facsimile: (877) 769-7945

80034556.doc

Respectfully submitted,


Richard P. Gilly
Reg. No. 37,630



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 PO Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/564,772	Gerard Queveau	20233-004US1 RVL/BR 61509
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.		
PCT/FR04/01883		
I.A. FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE	
07/16/2004	07/16/2003	
CONFIRMATION NO. 1481		
371 FORMALITIES LETTER		
 *OC000000018655472*		

Date Mailed: 05/02/2006

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/13/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/13/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/13/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/13/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/13/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 01/13/2006
- Specification filed on 01/13/2006
- Claims filed on 01/13/2006
- Abstracts filed on 01/13/2006
- Drawings filed on 01/13/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

RECEIVED MAR 11 2010
 REST AVAIL ARIF COPY

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

PATRICIA A BOOKER

Telephone: (703) 308-9140 EXT 204

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER NO.	INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.	ATTY. DOCKET NO.
10/564,772	PCT/FR04/01883	20233-004US1 RVL/BR 61509

FORM PCT/DO/EO/905 (371 Formalities Notice)

BEST AVAILABLE COPY